

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Cynthia Kozakiewicz and Den Clark on Nov 16 and Nov 30, 2009.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 11, line 2, "or glucosurioa" is changed to ---or glucosuria---.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Applicant has requested a rejoinder the species recited in claims 1, 11, and 17. The requirements of species elections are withdrawn. The species recited in the claims along with the method are searched. The prior art does not anticipate, teach, or suggest the novel method of inhibiting multiple myeloma cell growth comprising administering ADW-742 or NVP-AE541 alone or in combination with a chemotherapeutic agent comprising the agent listed in claim 17, wherein the inhibitor cause hyperglycemia, ketosis or glycosuria.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Lei Yao, Ph.D. whose telephone number is 571-272-3112. The examiner can normally be reached on 8am-6.00pm Monday-Thursday.

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Any inquiry of a general nature, matching or file papers or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to Kim Downing for Art Unit 1642 whose telephone number is 571-272-0521

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Larry Helms can be reached on 571-272-0832. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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